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Table 1: Economy

		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	7 102	5 460	4 973	4 538	4 323
Unemployment rate	%	7.7	5.8	5.0	4.3	4.0
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	-	-	20 801	24 788	-
Taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	$m	-	-	149.0	204.2	-
Average taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	$	-	-	7 165	8 238	-
Taxable individuals	no.	-	-	85 927	85 721	-
Taxable income (taxable individuals)	$m	-	-	3 841.5	4 303.7	-
Average taxable income (taxable individuals)	$	-	-	44 707	50 206	-
Net tax	$m	-	-	938.0	1 031.0	-
Average net tax	$	-	-	10 916	12 027	-
Net tax as a proportion of taxable income	%	-	-	24	24	-
Taxable and non-taxable individuals	no.	-	-	106 728	110 509	-
Taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	$m	-	-	3 990.5	4 507.9	-
Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	$	-	-	37 390	40 792	-
SELECTED GOVERNMENT PENSIONS & ALLOWANCES - at 30 June						
Age Pension - Centrelink	no.	na	na	na	na	na
Age Pension - DVA	no.	na	na	na	na	na
Carers Payment	no.	na	na	na	na	na
Disability Support Pension	no.	na	na	na	na	na
Newstart Allowance	no.	na	na	na	na	na
Parenting Payment - Single	no.	na	na	na	na	na
Youth Allowances	no.	na	na	na	na	na
Newstart Allowance - more than 365 days	%	na	na	na	na	na
ESTIMATES OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	73 106	75 535	78 012	81 542	-
Wage and salary income	$m	2 324.0	2 538.3	2 737.2	2 979.5	-
Average Wage and salary income	$	31 789	33 604	35 086	36 539	-
Own unincorporated business earners	no.	17 637	17 847	18 036	18 471	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	299.7	302.5	317.7	340.9	-
Average Own unincorporated business income	$	16 484	16 947	17 615	18 454	-
Investment earners	no.	50 936	54 411	54 540	57 753	-
Investment income	$m	515.2	583.3	660.0	847.2	-
Average Investment Income	$	10 115	10 721	12 102	14 669	-
Superannuation and annuity earners	no.	5 639	6 028	6 314	6 693	-
Superannuation and annuity income	$m	133.3	158.7	187.3	216.1	-
Average Superannuation and annuity income	$	23 635	26 325	29 660	32 293	-
Other income earners (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	no.	9 463	10 106	10 554	11 071	-
Other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	$m	39.7	46.3	47.3	65.5	-
Average other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	$	4 190	4 581	4 482	5 916	-
Total income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	$m	3 302.9	3 629.1	3 949.5	4 449.2	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	7 615	8 023	8 315	8 483	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	9 884	10 124	10 330	10 901	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	7 220	7 347	7 621	7 874	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	6 254	6 303	6 515	6 661	-
Males - 55 years to 64 years	no.	4 671	4 928	5 009	5 192	-
Males - 65 years and over	no.	1 187	1 287	1 439	1 564	-
Males - Total	no.	36 831	38 012	39 229	40 675	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	7 854	8 443	8 801	9 165	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	8 985	9 110	9 289	9 915	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	7 076	7 102	7 310	7 610	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	7 379	7 449	7 609	7 938	-
Females - 55 years to 64 years	no.	4 330	4 713	4 973	5 309	-
Females - 65 years and over	no.	642	713	803	934	-
Females - Total	no.	36 266	37 530	38 785	40 871	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	15 469	16 466	17 116	17 648	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	18 869	19 234	19 619	20 816	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	14 296	14 449	14 931	15 484	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	13 633	13 752	14 124	14 599	-
Persons 55 years to 64 years	no.	9 001	9 641	9 982	10 501	-
Persons - 65 years and over	no.	1 829	2 000	2 242	2 498	-
Persons - Total	no.	73 097	75 542	78 014	81 546	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	7 900	8 170	8 539	8 818	-
Professionals	no.	9 919	10 446	10 821	11 562	-
Associate Professionals	no.	6 224	6 484	6 687	7 380	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	no.	7 071	7 437	7 641	7 761	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	2 263	2 214	2 109	2 115	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	14 002	14 548	15 202	15 851	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no.	3 040	3 097	3 368	3 591	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	9 112	9 466	9 776	10 061	-
Labourers and Related Workers	no.	6 028	6 414	6 903	7 144	-
Not Stated	no.	7 555	7 262	6 963	7 232	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	73 114	75 540	78 009	81 535	-
ESTIMATES OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH - year ended 30 June						
Net worth per household	$'000	na	-	-	-	-
Aggregate household net worth	$m	na	-	-	-	-
Equivalised net worth	$'000	na	-	-	-	-
Assets per household	$'000	na	-	-	-	-
Liabilities per household	$'000	na	-	-	-	-
Debt to asset ratio	%	na	-	-	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESSES, INCLUDING ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	16 689	15 924	16 140	16 275	-
Employing businesses: 1 to 4 employees	no.	4 653	5 592	6 048	6 576	-
Employing businesses: 5 or more employees	no.	3 558	4 044	4 002	3 903	-
Total businesses	no.	24 900	25 560	26 190	26 754	-
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing business entries	no.	3 915	3 546	3 471	3 705	-
Employing business entries	no.	1 389	1 683	1 584	1 701	-
Total business entries	no.	5 304	5 229	5 055	5 406	-
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing business exits	no.	3 993	4 347	3 345	3 477	-
Employing business exits	no.	192	231	1 122	1 173	-
Total business exits	no.	4 185	4 578	4 467	4 650	-
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	333	354	375	381	-
Mining	no.	48	57	51	63	-
Manufacturing	no.	1 248	1 260	1 245	1 260	-
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	15	18	12	9	-
Construction	no.	3 762	3 963	4 071	4 407	-
Wholesale trade	no.	1 116	1 050	1 092	1 158	-
Retail trade	no.	2 964	3 102	3 195	3 045	-
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no.	1 074	1 080	1 116	1 068	-
Transport and storage	no.	1 218	1 083	1 118	1 118	-
Communication services	no.	204	240	261	255	-
Finance and insurance	no.	1 980	2 082	2 037	2 166	-
Property and business services	no.	8 157	8 508	8 760	8 811	-
Education	no.	186	210	189	210	-
Health and community services	no.	1 038	1 053	1 107	1 128	-
Cultural and recreational services	no.	729	699	717	765	-
Personal and other services	no.	828	801	846	912	-
Total businesses	no.	24 900	25 560	26 190	26 754	-

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Table 2: Population and People

		2004	2005
ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June			
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	4 108	4 187
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	3 834	3 807
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	4 232	4 226
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	5 112	5 143
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	7 638	7 954
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	7 515	7 690
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	7 032	7 230
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	5 743	5 865
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	5 974	6 023
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	5 874	5 935
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	5 900	5 902
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	6 368	6 459
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	5 169	5 409
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	4 400	4 523
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	3 799	3 720
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	3 479	3 467
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	2 339	2 448
Males - 85 years and over	no.	1 330	1 428
Males - Total	no.	89 846	91 416
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	3 842	3 876
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	3 645	3 636
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	3 825	3 833
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	4 881	4 934
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	7 564	7 848
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	6 734	6 813
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	6 410	6 497
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	5 492	5 585
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	5 745	5 819
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	6 061	6 083
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	6 352	6 266
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	6 534	6 748
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	5 338	5 572
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	4 494	4 601
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	4 193	4 047
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	4 082	4 116
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	3 071	3 147
Females - 85 years and over	no.	2 279	2 421
Females - Total	no.	90 542	91 842
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	7 950	8 063
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	7 479	7 443
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	8 057	8 059

Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	9 993	10 077
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	15 202	15 802
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	14 249	14 503
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	13 442	13 727
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	11 235	11 450
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	11 719	11 842
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	11 935	12 018
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	12 252	12 168
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	12 902	13 207
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	10 507	10 981
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	8 894	9 124
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	7 992	7 767
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	7 561	7 583
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	5 410	5 595
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	3 609	3 849
Persons - Total	no.	180 388	183 258
POPULATION DENSITY (ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION) - at 30 June			
Population density	persons/km2	-	-
ESTIMATED RESIDENT INDIGENOUS POPULATION - at 30 June			
Percentage of total population	%	-	-
OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006			
Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-
Total born overseas	%	-	-
SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006			
Percentage of total population	%	-	-
LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Cer			
Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-
Certificate	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	-
OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006			
Managers	%	-	-
Professionals	%	-	-
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-
Sales Workers	%	-	-

Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-
Labourers	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006			
Lone person households	no.	-	-
Group households	no.	-	-
Family households	no.	-	-
Total households	no.	-	-
FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006			
Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Other families	no.	-	-
Total families	no.	-	-
INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006			
Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006			
Major Cities	%	-	-
Inner Regional	%	-	-
Outer Regional	%	-	-
Remote	%	-	-
Very Remote	%	-	-
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006			
Major Urban	%	-	-
Other Urban	%	-	-
Bounded Locality	%	-	-
Rural Balance	%	-	-
UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006			
Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-
ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006			
Broadband connection	%	-	-
Dial-up connection	%	-	-
Other connection	%	-	-
Total internet connections	%	-	-
BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December			
Births	no.	1 685	1 762

Total fertility rate	rate	1.3	1.3
Deaths	no.	1 541	1 398
Standardised death rate	rate	5.9	5.7

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2006	2007	2008
4 245	4 392	4 526
3 890	3 911	3 919
4 218	4 168	4 089
5 257	5 312	5 351
8 192	8 280	8 204
8 042	8 447	8 718
7 372	7 406	7 331
6 285	6 610	6 851
6 027	6 013	5 937
6 092	6 169	6 294
6 087	6 262	6 331
6 516	6 317	6 112
5 760	6 030	6 263
4 582	4 687	4 759
3 805	3 922	3 990
3 348	3 286	3 243
2 504	2 551	2 587
1 561	1 723	1 881
93 783	95 486	96 386
3 931	4 114	4 280
3 733	3 732	3 714
3 807	3 782	3 790
5 119	5 118	5 114
8 073	8 387	8 415
7 178	7 626	7 921
6 489	6 434	6 353
5 828	6 100	6 241
5 821	5 851	5 817
6 259	6 330	6 294
6 385	6 442	6 489
6 914	6 712	6 621
5 825	6 202	6 436
4 741	4 842	4 952
3 948	4 006	4 038
4 122	4 040	3 839
3 153	3 135	3 162
2 539	2 787	2 931
93 865	95 640	96 407
8 176	8 506	8 806
7 623	7 643	7 633
8 025	7 950	7 879

10 376	10 430	10 465
16 265	16 667	16 619
15 220	16 073	16 639
13 861	13 840	13 684
12 113	12 710	13 092
11 848	11 864	11 754
12 351	12 499	12 588
12 472	12 704	12 820
13 430	13 029	12 733
11 585	12 232	12 699
9 323	9 529	9 711
7 753	7 928	8 028
7 470	7 326	7 082
5 657	5 686	5 749
4 100	4 510	4 812
187 648	191 126	192 793
-	-	1 853.8
1.1	-	-
8.6	-	-
9.0	-	-
3.0	-	-
0.7	-	-
1.6	-	-
2.7	-	-
0.6	-	-
1.4	-	-
1.0	-	-
28.6	-	-
10.7	-	-
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9.6	-	-
7.2	-	-
17.2	-	-
19.3	-	-
55.9	-	-
13.1	-	-
16.7	-	-
15.4	-	-
10.7	-	-
13.7	-	-
13.7	-	-

4.2	-	-
10.5	-	-
2.1	-	-
22 162	-	-
5 652	-	-
42 460	-	-
70 274	-	-
10 389	-	-
2 808	-	-
21 500	-	-
4 647	-	-
2 801	-	-
947	-	-
43 092	-	-
113 933	-	-
33 359	-	-
63 969	-	-
69 208	-	-
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15.2	-	-
15.3	-	-
6.6	-	-
0.6	-	-
9.9	-	-
39.2	-	-
18.3	-	-
0.9	-	-
58.4	-	-
1 794	2 003	2 059

1.4	1.4	1.5
1 360	1 506	1 567
5.4	5.2	5.2

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Table 3: Industry

		2004	2005
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June			
Private sector houses	no.	275	221
Total dwelling units	no.	2 852	2 236
Value of private sector houses	$m	122.7	106.5
Value of new residential building	$m	845.3	757.6
Value of total residential building	$m	890.8	794.7
Value of total non-residential building	$m	230.9	202.7
Value of total building	$m	1 121.8	997.3
Average value of private sector houses	$'000	445.4	481.5
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March			
Number by type of vehicle			
Passenger vehicles	no.	109 044	110 436
Campervans	no.	513	490
Light commercial vehicles	no.	15 820	16 601
Light rigid trucks	no.	683	771
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	1 335	1 422
Articulated trucks	no.	201	220
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	101	86
Buses	no.	658	693
Motorcycles	no.	3 458	3 813
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	131 809	134 535
Rate per 1,000 population			
Passenger vehicles	no.	604	603
Campervans	no.	3	3
Light commercial vehicles	no.	88	91
Light rigid trucks	no.	4	4
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	7	8
Articulated trucks	no.	1	1
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	1	0
Buses	no.	4	4
Motorcycles	no.	19	21
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	731	734
Age of vehicle			
Less than 5 years old	no.	33 915	35 888
5 years to less than 10 years old	no.	34 482	36 090
10 years or older	no.	63 350	62 263
Number by type of fuel			
Petrol	no.	121 605	123 656

Diesel	no.	7 970	8 666
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	2 235	2 215
GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION * - year ended 30 June			
Gross value of crops	$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock slaughterings	$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock products	$m	-	-
Total gross value of agricultural production	$m	-	-
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June			
Total area			
Area of holding	ha	-	-
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-
Total number			
Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-
Meat cattle	no.	-	-
Pigs	no.	-	-

* Agricultural commodities and value of production data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS

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2006	2007	2008
224	192	292
2 187	1 850	2 998
123.8	128.2	188.2
690.8	590.9	1 052.3
738.3	650.9	1 112.5
427.3	241.9	341.0
1 165.6	892.8	1 453.5
553.7	667.5	644.6
113 284	116 055	119 667
503	506	525
17 596	18 161	19 359
859	880	917
1 440	1 491	1 576
230	237	249
90	86	84
710	702	729
4 391	4 976	5 566
139 100	143 095	148 672
604	607	621
3	3	3
94	95	100
5	5	5
8	8	8
1	1	1
0	0	0
4	4	4
23	26	29
741	749	771
39 799	42 158	44 006
37 391	38 759	40 431
61 552	61 576	63 531
127 352	130 289	134 220

9 455	10 425	11 881
2 295	2 381	2 576
0.5	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.5	-	-
8.6	-	-
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Table 4: Environment and Energy

		2004	2005
LAND AREA			
Land area	km2	-	-
WATER USE ON AUSTRALIAN FARMS			
Area of agricultural land	ha '000	-	-
Area irrigated	ha '000	-	-
Irrigation volume applied	ML	-	-
Other agricultural uses	ML	-	-
Total water use	ML	-	-
Area irrigated as proportion of agricultural land	%	-	-

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2006	2007	2008
-	-	104.0
0	-	-
0	-	-
np	-	-
np	-	-
43	-	-
0.0	-	-